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Services at His Late Residence This Afternoon.

the Remains of the Civil Service Commissioner to Be Sent to Pontine. Mich., for Interment-Sketch of His Public and Private Career.

Funeral services over the remains of Mark S. Brewer, who died at his home be held at the residence at half-past allbearers have been chosen from hi late associates and are as follows: Hon. John R. Procter, President of the Civil Service Commission, John T. Doyle, secretary: A. R. Server, chief examiner, George R. Wales, chief of application drision; C. L. Snyder, chief examining division; Dr. G. W. Ledley, chief of services of the commission of the comm vision; Dr. G. W. Leiney, chief of ser-vice record division, and W. R. Bushley chief of the certification division. The services will be conducted by the Rev. Wallace Radcliffe, of the New York Ave-

ue Presbyterian Church. The body will be sent to the old home Mr. Brewer in Pontiac, Mich., tomot w morning at 14:20 o'clock. It will be companied by his widow.

The office of the Civil Service Commis on will be closed tomorrow as a mark respect to the memory of the deceased. ne departmental examinations for pro-otions, scheduled for tomorrow, have en postponed. All applicants will be

Mr. Brewer's death was a severe blov o his many friends and relatives. He ras only ill about ten days and was the rst Civil Service Commissioner to the in fflice. Mr. Brewer had been in poor realth for the past year, and when he was at his office on Saturday, March 9, t was noted by the cierks that he was not a well man and he was advised to to home. The following Monday he was taken ill and his condition grew teadily worse terminating in his death t 10:45 o'clock last night, when the end eacefully came. The immediate caus of death was angina pectoris and dia-betis. He had been a sufferer from the

atter disease for several years. Mark Spencer Brewer was born in Addison township, Oakland county, Mich., October 22, 1837. He worked on his fath-r's farm during his boyhood days. The nly general education he received was nat provided by a neighboring academy. When he was nineteen years old he left when he was inneteen years on he led, its father's farm. Then he went to Poniac. Having decided to follow law as a profession he began to read law with xx-Governor Moses Wisner, of Michigan, and Hon. M. E. Crofeot, at Pontiac, in

He pursued his studies there during the ays of the civil war, and was admitted o the bar at Pontiac in 1864. Since that me he has always practiced at Pontiac except when engaged in the public servce, In 1866 he was elected Circuit Court Commissioner for Oakland county, and retained that position until 1868. During

retained that position until 1889. During this same period he served a single term as City Attorney of Pontiac.

In 1872 he was elected to the Michigan State Senaie, and served for two terms in that body, where he was prominently identified with a number of important legislative matters. He took an active part in both State and municipal politics. He was nominated for Congress from the Sixth Michigan district in 1877 and elected. In 1879 he was re-elected to the Fortywixth Congress.

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the conclusion of his term of office was appointed Consul General to Bergermany, by President Garfield, on a 30, 1881. He retained this position I June 5, 1885, when he returned to country. For two years he was again aged in the practice of law in Ponther the Congress, receiving a large matys.

Mr. Brewer was domocratic in his ways, and was well liked by all the clerks employed by the Commission.

METHODISTS IN SESSION

The Washington Conference Opened

at Wheeling, W. Va. WHEELING, W. Va., March 19.—The Vashington Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened in its thirty

morning at 9 o'clock.

The sessions are being held in the Fourth Street Metic dist Episcopal Church (of the West Virginia Conference), Rev. S. F. Westahfer, D. D., pastor. Bishop C. H. Fowler, D. D., LL. D., of Buffalo, N. Y., presides.

The conference territory includes the States of Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, western part of Pennsylvania, and the District of Columbia.

New Cotton Mills Chartered. RALEIGH, N. C., March 19.—The State is chartered the Elizabeth Cotton Mills wo miles from Charlotte, capital \$100,000

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. James W. Pinchot, of New York we the first of a series of musicales yes erday afternoon at the residence of her on, Mr. Gifford Pinchot, of Rhode Island Avenue. The special feature of the programme was the singing of Mr. Whit ey, of Boston.

The engagement of Miss Annette G dartyn, of Warrenton, Va., and Mr Lu cius L. Smith, Jr., of Washington, D. C. and St. Paul, Minn., is announced. The wedding will take place at Warrenton Va., in the early summer.

Miss Clara Emory's second French re drawing room Tuesday, March 26, at

Countess Cassini, daughter of the Rus ian Ambassador, entertained informally at luncheon yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eastis will sail for London next mouth, where Mr. Eustis will begin his duties as third Secretary of he American Embassy at the Court of

Mrs. Hitchcock, wife of the Secretary of the Interior, and her daughter, Miss Margaret Hitchcock, will leave today for New York

Captain and Mrs. Reber will take up their residence in Washington the first of April, Captain Reber having been as-signed to duty on General Miles' staff. Mrs. Reber is the only daughter of Gen-eral and Mrs. Miles.

Mrs. Comegys, wife of Major E. T. Comegys, U. S. A., is visiting her parents, General and Mrs. C. B. Wilcox, at their Washington residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F Brockett an nounce the engagements of their daugh-ers, Miss Zue H., to Clarence Sylvester McLean, of Rochester, N. Y. the mar-riage eeremony to take place April 16, and Miss Viola to William Bell Pugh, of Vanceburg, Ky., the ceremony to be per-formed in June.

A despatch from Richmond states that Princess Troubetskoy, who has been seriously ill for some time, has almost entirely recovered. She will leave next month for Europe, where she will spend some time, probably the remainder of the year. During her absence abroad the-princess will, it is understood, resume her literary work, which she has had to abandon during her long it less.

A DISPUTE OVER A N. ST SITE.

Board of Lady Manage of The the Methodist Home Disagree.

gers of the Methodist Home was held ast night at the McKendree Methodist Church on Massachusetts Avenue northwest, for the purpose of taking action in regard to the erection of a new building or the home. At present the home is sit uated at Eleventh and N Streets northeast. The building which contains eight tained by the Methodist churches of the trustees consisting of seven members of

tees decided to erect a new building on the site of the old one. There is at present a neat sum in the treasury for thi surpose. There is, however, a sentimen the new building for the home should b alled with a view to inducing the board

When the meeting had been in progress for a time it became evident that the board of lady managers was pretty evenly divided. The principal objection to a change of site was that it would involve the assumption of indebtedness amounting to about \$20,000. Many of the ladies were opposed to making the change on this ground. If the new building is erected on the present site this difficulty will be obviated. Several sites in other parts of the city were suggested, but met with strenuous objection. Several of the members of the board of trustees were present and spoke on the subejct. Finally after nearly three hours of argument a resolution recommending that the board of trustees should not build on the present site was passed by a small majority. The situation remains undecided. The majority appear to have recommended that the new building shall not be erected on the present site. No decision regarding its final location will, however, he made at present. There is a strong sentiment against moving from the present site, despite its disadvantages.

ent site, despite its disadvantages. The spirit in favor of such a move appears to be equally as potent and both factions are insistent. At the meeting last night some even went so far as to say they would refuse to lend their support to the home if their wishes were not compiled with. This spirit, however, appeared to be the exception rather than the rule, most of the ladies present static that they would give the home their support wherever located.

IN AID OF A CHURCH.

Parnell's Former Secretary Lectures at St. Dominie's Hall.

St. Dominic's Hall, corner of Sixth and Streets southwest, was crowded last tho had assembled to hear the Rev. Dr M. P. O'Sullivan lecture upon "St. Pat-rick's Influence on the Irish Race." The ture was for the benefit of St. Domi-

Dr. O'Sullivan, who has played an im ortant part in the history of the Em-rald Isle, having been imprisoned with arles Stewart Parnell while acting as hat patriotic Irishman's private secre-ary, dwelt upon the condition of Ireland

old be free, oldowing the Rev. Dr. O'Sullivan, Mr. n. Taylor delivered an address, taking his subject. The Lament of the Irish igrant," after which musical selective were rendered by the members of Dominic's Catholic Church choir as ows: "Killarney," by Mrs. Molitehop: "Three Leaves of Shamrock," by Michael Casey, and "Asthore," by S Neilie Burke.

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ner, it is said, will hereafter enjoy the ll women in Chicago. Potter Palmer has ade over to Mrs. Palmer for her exastive use and enjoyment of the profit f the Palmer House, the most profitable he Palmer House over and above all run-ing expenses is between \$225,000 and \$250, 6 annually, and this will be turned over 5 Mrs. Palmer without the necessity of her part of taking any of the respon-



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The Times on Sunday, March 24.

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Roman Catholicism

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The complete programme, which was begun by the publication of Prof. Alfred Russel Wallace's essay on "Evolution" on December 23, follows:

Evolution	Dec. 23	Alfred Russel Wallace
Chemistry	Dec. 30	Prof. Ramsay
Archæology	Jan. 6	Prof. Flinders-Petrie
Astronomy	Jan. 13	Sir Norman Lockyer
Philosophy	Jan. 20	Edward Caird
Medicine	Jan. 27	William Osler
Surgery	Feb. 3	Dr. W. W. Keen
Electricity	Feb. 10	Prof. Elihu Thomson
Physics	Feb. 17	Thomas C. Mendenhall
War	Feb.24	Sir Charles Dilke
War Ships	Mar. 3	Captain Mahan
Literature	Mar.10	Andrew Lang
Engineering	Mar.17	Thomas C. Clarke
Roman Catholicis	m,Mar.24	Cardinal Gibbons
Protestantism	Mar 31	Rev. Alex. V. G. Allen
Judaism	April 7	Richard Gottheil
Religious Progress	s, April 14	Goldwin Smith

AT THE THEATRES.

The Columbia-"Unleavened Bread." The Columbia Theatre has a very inter-sting play in "Unleavened Bread" this

made over for stage purposes by Leo Dit-richstein, who has very cleverly transetery to the footlights, and Liebler & Co have been generous in providing an excellent pr duction and in engaging a com-pany of more than ordinary merit. It is ndeed rare to find in any one organization

In "Unleavened Bread" there is not the cumulative action that is usually deemed so vitally necessary by writers for the stage, but there is, however, a good deal stage, but there is, however, a good dear of decidedly brilliant dialogue, while the character sketching is unique in the many character sketching is unique in the many new types that are presented. In short, there is nothing conventional about "Unleavened Bread," and if there is any one criticism that can be made, it is in Mr. Ditrichstein's breaking away from the traditions of the dramatist's art.

Elizabeth Tyree, as Selma White; Eleanor Robson, as Flossie Williams, and E. J. Morgan, as the achitect, Wilbur Litteton, are uncommonly good, while George Fawcett, Malcolm Williams, Lawrence Marston, George Woodward, Alice Fischer, Margaret Fuller, and Virginia Buchanan fill their respective parts most satisfactorily.

There will be matinees of "Unleavened Bread" on Thursday and Saturday.

The National - Mansfield in "Henry

fore a large, brilliant, and enthusiastic audience last night at the National Theaspectacle the native stage has ever seen and without exception the most pretentious and successful production of Shake speare's play since the time of its first production in 1600, when Richard Burbage as the original King Henry V, and the performance was given in Shake-speare's own Globe Theatre, with its lack of scenery and almost everything else that is shown in the perfect stage per-formance of Mr. Mansfield.

In many ways Mansfield's work with 'Henry V'' is ahead of any theatrical production ever seen here, and if remarkable for nothing else, it sets a standard for the stage performances not for this metry alone, but for all the world, and ntemporaries of the English speaking to remark that in putting on "Hen-V" Mr. Mansfield has proved that he s nothing to learn from his foreign contemporaries.

The performance last night propersons familiar with the magnitude the production, with its wealth of masses seenery and army of auxiliary plays, most of whom were participating in e performance for the first time.

Mr. Vansfield's individual work was on e whole very satisfying, while the seed hor, or of the performances fell to isse Florence Kahn who, in the part of umor, the Chorus of other productions the King Hal piece, was admirable in branches of her work. The cast is one extraordinary length and includes J. Collins, a most praiseworthy Archshop of Canterbury; Sheridan Block,

Chase's-Polite Vandeville. The current bill of polite vaudeville a

'hase's contains a number of especially trong features, but head and shoulders bove all stand Home. Lind and his ompany of four, in the one-act musical omedy, "Gringoire," which has been dapted from the French by Willard omb, and supplied with three splen-

did solos by Julian Edwards, which Mr. and succeeds in making his audience hat Ind solos by Julian Edwards, which Mr.
Lind renders with excellent effect. The
company that assists in the presentation
of the musical piece includes Everett
King, an experienced and thoroughly ca-King, an experienced and thoroughly ca-pable actor; Charles Stowe, Miss Sumner week, and last night a large audience gave every evidence of enjoying it to quite an goire," as given by Mr. Lind, is one of the very best things in contemporaneous vaudeville, and as such is fully entitled

to the great amount of praise that was accorded to it by two large audiences five-minute entertainment. Melville and Stetson, two women who have the rare gift of humor well developed, afford a vast amount of fun in a musical sketch. Elseeta, a young woman, dances all sorts of dances on the ends of her toes; the Razarfs prove themselves good necromancers and illusionists; Seeker, Wilkes and Seeker have a sidewalk conversation act in which they introduce several songs; the Five Ofracs perform a quantity of daring acrobatic feats; and the performance concludes with a series of twelve new Biograph pictures. Matinee

The Academy-"Man's Enemy." Music is adhering to its policy of pre-senting none but the very best in the realm of melodrama and the current offering, "Man's Enemy," is calculated to set a standard for future productions of a like nature. The piece is melodramatic in the extreme, while the story is one of fascinating interest and is cleverly worked out, with many telling situations and effective climaxes. It is relieved here and there with flashes of bright comedy and all in all is one of the very best things of its class that has been seen in

twelve new Biograph pictures. Matine

and an in an is one of the very best things of its class that has been seen in Washington during the year.

The production is a massive one, employing a number of elaborate sets of scenery, while the company is uniformly excellent. Last night's large audience was most demonstrative in its reception of the piece and granted an unwonted amount 'applause to the principal actors, no oly Ned H. Fowler, whose work as Harry Stanton, the chief male character, is noteworthy for its virility; Miss Dorothy Rossmore in the principal feminine role, that of Sarah Drake, presents a quite remarkable creation and brings to the part an individuality and a thoroughness of method that carry the interpretation to a successful end. Miss Rossmore is an unusually handsome woman, with an air of distinction that is as rare as it is delightfui.

The other members of the "Man's Enemy" company are in every way competent and taken as a whole the production is considerably better than the average melodramatic performance. There will be matinees today, Thursday, and Saturday.

The Lafayette Stock Company has se lected Oulda's widely known play "Moths," as their offering for the curren week, and last night a crowded ho greeted the popular organization. The piece is handsomely mounted, its locale giving the scenic artist wide scope One set, a snowstorm in Russia, is partic

ularly effective.

Eugene Ormonde enacts the role of Correze, the singer, and plays the part sym-

him accordingly. Charles Wyngate is congenially cast as Lord Jura and John Daly Murphy is a breezy Dake of Mull. Miss Percy Haswell makes Vera a sweet example of innocent girlhood, and by her excellent handling of the role adds to a marked degree to the character as it is originally drawn in the story. Miss Louise Mackintosh plays Lady Polly very skillfully, and Miss Grayce Scott gives a refreshing portrayal of Fuschia Leach. refreshing portrayal of Fuschi the American girl. Miss Agnes is a good Jeann de Sonnaz.

Kernan's-"The Dainty Duchess." The return of the "Dainty Duchess" ompany of burlesque entertainers to hernan's vesterday was characterized the attendance of two of the largest and There are a few new faces in the organization, while the usual excellen the "Dainty Duchess" standard is adhered to with a result that is dec gratifying to the persons in front of the

gratifying to the persons in front of the footlights.

Contrary to the average run of burlesque organizations, the Duchess company presents but one burlesque, entitled "The Queen of Bohemia," an entertaining, bright, and up-to-date offering, in which the entire strength of the company is seen to excellent advantage, while the comedians furnish some lively amusement, the women of the company the meanwhile displaying an unusual amount of musical ability and charms of person. The olio is given by Fie'ds and Fields, Brown, Harrison, and Prown, Russeil and Tillyne, Annette Peyser, Joe and Nellie Doner, the Harvey Sisters, and Fonner and Olwell. There will be the usual daily matinees during the week.

The Bijon - Wine, Woman, and

Song." 'Wine, Woman, and Song," this week's offering at the Bijou, is perhaps one of the yery best attractions that the management of the popular theatre has of fered their patrons this season. The Theise organization is in many ways different from the majority of similar companies, in that there is a distinct effor at burlesque made in the offerings that

eminently satisfactory in the fun-making line.

Yesterday two large audiences gave many evidences of appreciating the bill to an unusual degree. The company is of good size, numerically, while the faminine contingent is good looking, and displays an ability rarely demonstrated in like performances. The olio is contributed by such clever entertainers as Glibert and Goldie, whose work is uncommonly good; Bonita, described as one of the original coon shouters, in an offering of coon ditties; Alf Hoevet, and Hensen and Drew, and Kine and Gotthold. Local theatregoers who care for good burlesque will attend the performances of "Wine, Woman, and Song" at the Bijon this week. There will be the usual daily matinees.

Valuable Jewels Recovered.

LYNCHBURG, Va., March 19.—Whe amuel G. Wingfield died a box of valua jewels belonging to his family could ot be found and the police were called Eugene Ormonde enacts the role of Cor-reze, the singer, and plays the part sym-pathetically and intelligently. John T. Sullivan is a sufficiently villainous Zuroff original box is still unknown.

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